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SUBJECT: THAI FONMIN CHARTCHAI VISIT TO VIENTIANE

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- 1. THAI AMBASSADOR INDICATED THIS MORNING CHARTCHAI ARRIVING VIENTIANE TOMORROW AFTERNOON, REMAINING HERE TO MORNING OF MARCH 22. HE WILL BE CALLING ON SOUVANNA, PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL ASSEMBLY PHOUI SANANIKONE, AND PRESIDENT OF THE KING'S COUNCIL KHAMMAO.
- 2. AMBASSADOR CONFIRMED THAT EARLY FEBRUARY HE SOUGHT OUT DRV CHARGE AND PROPOSED MEETINGS WITH DRV ANYWHERE IT CHOSE TO DISCUSS REPATRIATION VIETNAMESE IN THAILAND. AMBASSADOR INDICATED RTG WOULD PAY RETURN TRANSPORTATION AND WOULD PURCHASE VIETNAMESE HOMES. CHARGE AGREED "IN PRINCIPLE" TO SUCH TALKS BUT HE WOULD HAVE TO REFER TO HANOI QUESTION OF TIMING. AMBASSADOR HAS NOT REPEAT NOT HEARD FROM CHARGE SINCE AND HAS NOT REPEAT NOT RAISED SUBJECT AGAIN.
- 3. THAI AMBASSADOR ADDED THAT HE HOPES NOW THAT PEACE HAS RETURNED TO SOUTH VIETNAM GVN WOULD RECONSIDER ITS CONFIDENTIAL

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PREVIOUS OPPOSITION TO ACCEPTING VIETNAMESE FROM THAILAND. HE SAID HE HAD MENTIONED THIS MOST INFORMALLY TO GVN AMBASSADOR THUY, WHO SAID HE WOULD MAKE APPRIPORIATE INQUIRIES. THAI AMBASSADOR IMPLIED THAT HIS INQUIRY OF HIS SOUTH VIETNAMESE COLLEAGUE WAS AT HIS OWN INITIATIVE AND NOT RPEAT NOT UNDER FORMAL ORDERS. GODLEY

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